

A Merry Merry Christmas To One and All

PERSONAL NOTES

Arrivals and Departures of Residents and Visitors

IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

The Column Everybody Reads—Chat About Your Friends and Neighbors—Here and There.

J. H. Meyers of Hyndman was a visitor to Bedford on December 17th.

N. E. Koontz, Lutzville, Rt. 1 paid us a visit and advanced his subscription to 1920.

Milton Deftbaugh and grand daughter, Miss Grace Jay were in Bedford on business on Tuesday. Miss Jay will complete the term of school at Indian Springs beginning after the holidays.

Daniel Miller of Schellsburg was a Gazette visitor on Tuesday.

William H. Fisher of Schellsburg was a caller at our office on Tuesday and advanced his subscription to 1920.

E. H. Turner, of Juniata Township was transacting business in Bedford yesterday.

James Points of Bedford 5 called at the Gazette office on Monday while in Bedford on business.

Clayton Smith, of Bedford 4 one of Colerains progressive farmers called at our office on Monday.

Mrs. Clarence Cuppett, Misses Verona Whitestone and Pearl Shull of Mann's Choice were Bedford visitors on Monday.

Mr. Edgar Harclerode, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Harclerode returned to his home at Wolfburg on Tuesday. Mr. Harclerode came from France a short time ago.

Misses, Ruth Diehl and Marian Holler of Mann's Choice were Bedford visitors on Wednesday.

The Barber, J. E. Disharoon and wife have returned after spending five weeks with relatives and friends in Baltimore Md.

Wade H. Figard and wife, and Albert S. Figard and wife were in Bedford Wednesday transacting business.

Abner Mock, of Cessna Rt. 1 was in Bedford on last Saturday.

George E. Morgart of Bedford 4

JAPAN'S CHRISTMAS TOYS FOR THE UNITED STATES

Tokio Dec. 14., The Japanese toys now find their largest sale in the United States and England. No department of Japanese industry has made more progress since the outbreak of the great war than the toy trade. Four years ago, the export of Japanese toys were limited to a few varieties, such as dolls, bamboo models and the like. Last year the total value of toys exported from Japan amounted to \$4,200,000 and in 1918 will exceed \$5,000,000. Thus the "land of dolls" and flowers, as Japan has been so charmingly called has been transformed into a country creating playthings of every description for the children of foreign lands as well as for its own. One might have supposed that owing to the cheapness of labor in Japan, it long ago would have become the largest source of supply for the toy trade; but until the shutting off of the German supply, the toymakers of Nippon never attempted to enter foreign markets.

CHRISTMAS EXERCISES

Christmas exercises will be held in the Loyal Temperance Legion Room this (Friday) evening at 6:30 o'clock. An interesting program of Music, Recitations, Special Edition of the Legion Journal, An Impromptu Class, Christmas Free Attractions with a visit from "Santa Claus" has been provided for members of the Legion and other young people over eight years of age.

The usual Christmas Pie. Cash donations for Legion purposes will be gratefully received.

(Superintendent)

In Next Edition.

Little Edna was disappointed because she was unable to find her name in the Bible. "Oh, well," she said at last. "I'll be such a good girl that God will put my name in the next Bible he prints."

Swindled.

De Speed (after the spill)—"The agent lied to me about this car. He said, 'There was a car that would knock my eye out,' and it only knocked six teeth out."

was in town last week in his touring car.

S. J. Souser, war horse democrat paid us a visit on last Friday as well as a little cash to advance his subscription. Mr. Souser says he was accounting the other evening and found that he had paid but \$1.50 in doctor bills in the last 60 years a record for good health.

Charles P. Deremer of Centerville was in Bedford yesterday.

J. Guy Snowden of Lincoln, Nebraska reports that he has just returned home from camp and that he is fine and dandy.

Harry Fickes of Sprout, Pa. was in Bedford yesterday settling up the estate of his father, Solomon Fickes.

Messrs F. and H. J. Bryne of Juniata township were in Bedford on Monday on business. Their mother expects to sell the farm and will have Mrs. Carrie V. Nave of Centerville was settling up her fathers estate on last Saturday.

J. C. Baker of Everett was in Bedford on business of a legal nature on Tuesday.

H. E. Labre and Earnest Geinger, of Everett were in Bedford on business on Tuesday. Also Squire Ritchey paid Bedford a legal visit same day.

William Smith of Rainsburg died Wednesday night. His obituary next week.

Samuel Cessna, Clayton Smith and wife were in attendance at the Annual Session of the Penna. State Grange held in Tyrone last week. Samuel Cessna was elected a member of the Keystone Grange Exchange for a period of five years. (Congratulations from the Gazette.)

Mrs. Samuel Wertz of Witcheita, Kansas and Mrs. Henry James of Bedford are visiting Samuel Shaffer's at Rainsburg.

Rihard Morgart and wife of Rainsburg who have been suffering from the "Flu" are better now.

Last week several of the letters had to be omitted because they came too late. Correspondent should reach the office on Tuesday. We wish our many writers would observe this. We do all we can to get the letters into print but a late letter stands a poor chance.

Jury Commissioners, Josiah Hisong and George Eicholtz with the Sheriff are at work filling the jury wheel. It requires the names of 600 qualified electors to fill the wheel.

RED CROSS DRIVE

Christmas Red Cross Drive still continues in the Borough. The ladies have done excellent work. Many families have all joined. One family of seven.

Some who were not enough interested to join, took another thought of how they could face the boys when they came home and not be a member of the Red Cross, came over and joined.

You can not afford to pass this up. It only costs one dollar. This is the time to show your Patriotism.

The Township workers will meet the district Chairman, W. D. Blackburn in the Red Cross rooms of the Barnett Bldg. on Saturday p. m. at 2 o'clock.

VALUES

O Love, could I but take the hours. That once I spent with thee, And coin them all in minted gold, What should I purchase that would hold

Their worth in joy to me? Ah, Love—another hour with thee!

A CHRISTMAS SUPPLICATION

For wider vision, clearer sight, For boldness to uphold the right, For light upon our way, For wisdom and firm fortitude, Grant thou, O Giver of all Good, These gifts to us today—

For strength to help the fallen up, For grace to hold the healing cup, For the world's sore need! O not in vain the awful price Of this vast human sacrifice—

The cross 'neath which we bleed—

Good Excuse.

George did not like to go to dancing school. One day while his mother was dressing him for the school he said: "Mother, it is foolish for me to learn to dance. As soon as I get old enough I will have to go to war anyway."

LETTER FROM FRANCE

Letter written by Irvin Oldham to his sister-in-law Mrs. H. S. Oldham of near New Paris.

Somewhere in France Nov. 8, 1918

Dear Sister:—

I will drop you a few lines in answer to your letter which I received some time ago. Was sure glad to hear from you as I always am. I am real well at present. We are having wet weather over here. It is not very cold yet. We have about the same climate here as we have back home. We have had a few frosts and some mornings have been real cold.

I am almost ashamed to tell you what I am doing. I am in the Salvation Army Hall waiting until the ladies bake some pies. We had some doughnuts and hot chocolate. They told us they were baking raisin pies, so we decided to wait for the pies. Believe me, the Salvation Army is doing a lot for us boys over here. They can say what they please the Salvation Army is doing more for the boys than any other organization. They are surely doing their "bit" for the boys in France. When I get home all my spare pennies will go to the Salvation Army.

I am back at a rest camp now as we have done our "bit" in the trenches and came back for a rest, and believe me, we think we are in Heaven. This is the first time since the 14th of July that we have been far enough away from the lines that we could not hear the big guns or the shells bursting, so you may know our feelings. I think we could hear a pin or a sponge fall it seems so quiet. They tell us we are going to get a nice day leave of absence. I don't know whether there is anything of it or not. I only wish I was close enough home that I could spend my vacation at home. Believe me, when I get home, I am going to be one of the nicest little boys you ever saw. I am not going outside of the yard. I will close for this time. Goodbye. Answer soon. Lovingly your brother, Irvin Oldham.

GLASS TAKES OFFICE NAMES BUREAU HEAD.

The appointment of Col. Henry D. Lindsley of Dallas Tex. as Director of the War Risk Insurance Bureau was the first official act today of Carter Glass of Virginia as Secretary of the Treasury.

Secretary Glass said Col. Lindsley was chosen because of his practical insurance experience and his work for the bureau in France. Col. Lindsley was for a year on the staff of Major Gen. J. G. Harbord, as Chief of the War Risk Section of the expeditionary forces.

Before the war he was Mayor of Dallas and President of the Southwestern Insurance Company. He is a Plattsburg graduate having won a commission as Major of infantry. Secretary Glass took the oath of office just before noon, and was introduced to the heads of departments by Mr. McAdoo. He congratulated Mr. McAdoo on the record he had made, and assured the staff he intended to rely largely on the McAdoo departmental machine.

BERTHA CONLON Monroe

Last Tuesday morning Miss Bertha Conlon, daughter of James H. Conlon of Monroe township died of pneumonia brought on by an attack of the Influenza. She was about 18 years old. On Monday she was able to sit up and it was thought she was much better and would get well but about midnight she relapsed and died in a few hours. She leaves several brothers and sisters besides her loving parents to mourn her loss.

POKER PLAYERS CAUGHT UP

Last Monday a bunch of poker players were overhauled by the State Police. No trial was necessary. They simply came forward and paid their fines and costs. This is the second time a raid has been made on this den, some of which have served terms in jail and were released because they joined Bible classes and promised to be good.

A Long Wait.

According to a German scientist, a particle of water evaporated from the ocean is condensed and returns in ten days, but it remains there 3,400 days before being evaporated again.

REPUBLICANS SPENT \$242,268 IN STATE

The time for filing expense accounts for the 1918 campaign expired Dec. 5 and the statement of the Republican state committee was the last to be filed. It shows receipts of \$260,525.43 and expenditures of \$242,268.04.

The largest contribution was \$90,500 from the Pennsylvania Patriotic Union, J. Howard Pew being next with \$5,000. Four of the state candidates contributed \$2,500 each. In the local campaign the receipts and expenditures were as follows:

RECEIPTS	
John M. Rose	500.00
John W. Gephart	31.00
Rep. State Committee	600.00
W. L. Byers	10.00

\$1160.00

EXPENDITURES

Edward Darr	\$53.50
D. R. Jenkins	21.00
J. W. For	10.00
Daniel Blattenberger	35.00
F. W. Jordan	10.50
L. H. Peck	3.00
Albert Chamberlain	3.00
H. H. Barton	.90
E. J. For	.90
E. C. Woy	8.00
F. D. Leonard	5.00
Wood Carberry	10.00
Chas. Beller	10.50
George Swartz	5.00
Edward Lynch	5.00
L. R. Barnett	10.00
G. D. Goodwin	15.00
J. M. Fink	15.00
A. L. Tewell	15.00
W. K. Bechtel	10.00
W. G. Bortz	10.00
Harry Watkins	10.00
F. L. Bither	15.00
I. E. Imler	15.00
M. L. Mellott	10.00
Albert Hinsh	10.00
D. E. Smith	10.00
William Hinsh	10.00
H. W. Holler	10.00
Lester Mellott	5.00
Kie E. Brown	15.00
M. F. Cartwright	10.00
Jacob Emeigh	20.00
D. F. Bassler	15.00
H. N. Imler	10.00
R. C. Campbell	15.00
J. H. Snoberger	20.00
J. E. Smith	15.00
John Middleton	5.00
Blair Shawley	6.00
John For	14.20
Jesse Rithey	5.00
Henry Busick	5.00
Thomas Bambling	16.00
R. F. Dicken	3.00
R. H. McFarland	15.00
Adam Eichelberger	10.00
Clyde Clapper	10.00
D. R. Clark	2.00
J. E. Cook	4.00
R. E. Dull	5.00
R. C. Smith	1.00
John Deftbaugh	3.00
Isaac Fleegle	2.00
Howard Kinton	10.00
W. H. Bloom	1.50
Jacob Dively	1.50
F. W. Cox	10.00
Mrs. Amy Brice	60.00
Lester Karns	20.00
E. G. Lohr	10.00
Carl Amick	3.00
H. W. Holler	15.00
H. B. Hull	10.00
H. N. Imler	5.00
F. L. Arnold	8.00
Henderson Points	5.00
Postage, Printing, Help etc	417.77
Total	1159.08

FODDER—DISHONG

David Lee Fodder and Miss Margaret Virginia Dishong, both of Bedford, Pa. were united in marriage by the Rev. C. R. Allenbach, pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church at his residence 20 Public Square, on the afternoon of November 27th, past. The happy couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Dishong parents of the bride. The wedding will surprise a large circle of friends of the newly married couple who are now residing in Bedford.

LARGEST BOOK IN WORLD IN A PARK IN OTTAWA

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—The largest book in the world, thirteen feet high, eight feet wide and three feet thick stands in the public square here. It was made and bound by the Canadian government printing bureau here and contains the names of all the contributors to the Victory Loan.

Bedford people appreciate the rain. It's no joke either.

NOTICE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY

Circular No. 204 in respect to Employment of Women for Christmas Holidays Under Section 3 Act 466 In accordance with our usual custom, at this season of the year, I wish to call your attention to the following opinion of the Attorney General:

"That in pursuance of the provisions of Section 3 of Act 466 the three days on which a female employee may be employed two hours overtime during a week in which a holiday occurs and is observed by an establishment employing her, are not confined to the calendar week in which the holiday comes but may be any three days of the seven consecutive days, within such holiday falls, but that such overtime employment shall not operate to cause any such employee to work more than fifty-four hours within any seven consecutive days. Consequently, in effect, although the three days of overtime employment may come in the calendar week preceding the one in which a holiday occurs, if they be within seven days of such holiday, yet the total hours of employment throughout the entire calendar week, in which the overtime work in such case is performed, can not lawfully exceed fifty-four."

The question relating to females under twenty-one years of age working this overtime after nine o'clock P. M. has been previously decided by this Department to wit: That the law permits females under the age of twenty-one years to be employed after nine o'clock in the evening during the three days in a week in which a legal holiday is observed provided the maximum hours of employment do not exceed fifty-four in such week."

I shall appreciate it if you will put forth every effort to see that the provisions of the Woman's Law and the Minor law are strictly complied with at this time.

I trust you will give this matter your careful attention, and remain

Very truly yours,

JOHN H. WALKER

Acting Chief, Bureau of Inspection

LETTER FROM FRANCE

Letter from Private Ransom L. Nave to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nave of Cumberland Valley.

Dear Dad:

Today is the day everybody in the A. E. F. writes to their Dad, the censorship has been lifted to a certain extent for this occasion so here goes to dad.

It has only been a little more than six months since I left Newport News for France but to me it seems like a life time. We arrived at St. Nazaire France after having a regular battle with submarines while in sight of France, but after the battle was over there were three Jerry Subs. that never did any more battle for the Fatherland. We stayed about a week at St. Nazaire and from there we had a two days and nights ride in box cars, to Callais, which is located in the north eastern corner of France along the English Channel.

There we got gas masks, helmets and British guns and ammunition. From there we went to Hubersent and there had about a months training, then we went to Montecourt a small town back of the British front only stayed there a short time and was sent up to the front line ditch on the Arras front, on our way up we passed through Moncheay a town that the Germans had a short time before and it was certainly a sight; it looked more like a stone quarry than a town, there wasn't a house that wasn't blown to pieces. While on that front I had my first experience of being under shell fire and many other things too numerous to mention, on one occasion we wore our gas masks for eight hours continuously and when we took them off our faces all looked like a sheet of red flannel. There wasn't any driving done while we were there but on several occasions we were pretty busy; on one night in particular I fired 3,000 rounds myself and the rest of the Company was not loafing. Well they finally pulled us out of there and brought us down on the American front where they had a big show going on all the time. On our way down we did plenty of hiking and living in woods, it was like all night long and sleep in woods during the day occasionally we

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COURT NOTES

Argument Court Convened on Tuesday, December 17th at 9:00 a. m. with all Judges present.

Estate of Jacob Wit, deceased; widow's inventory filed.

Estate of John Gephart, deceased; widow's inventory filed.

Estate of Thomas H. Benton, deceased; widow's inventory filed. Same estate, order of sale awarded.

Estate of Simon College, deceased; petition to pay money into Court. Order awarded.

Estate of John W. Halfer, deceased; return of sale filed.

Estate of Clarence Schultz, deceased; appraisers appointed.

Estate of Emory T. Rohm, deceased; widow's inventory filed.

Estate of Walter H. Topper, deceased; widow's inventory filed.

Estate of John G. Gephart, deceased; appraisers appointed.

Estate of William Smith, deceased; appraisers appointed.

Estate of Henry Border, deceased; petition to pay money into Court. Order awarded.

Estate of John C. Harclerode, deceased; Bedford County Trust Company appointed guardian of Minors, and George Points Esq. appointed trustee to sell the real estate.

Estate of William Mahnspecker, deceased; widow's inventory filed.

Estate of Jennie Cartwright, deceased; order awarded to pay money to foreign guardian.

Estate of George I. Callihan, deceased; return of sale filed.

Estate of Solomon W. Fickes, deceased; return of sale filed.

Estate of Millard Clark, deceased; specific performance decreed.

Estate of Charles McCreary, deceased; appraisers appointed.

Estate of Norman Good, deceased; appraisers appointed.

Estate of William Kirk, deceased; report of auditor filed.

Estate of Sarah Kirk, deceased; report of auditor filed.

Fred Tewell vs George Karnierowsky; motion for judgment by proclamation.

In re application for charter for Replogle Cemetery Association; decree made.

Estate of John H. Fickes; order of sale awarded.

Resignation of John M. Culp, Burgess of Schellsburg filed and accepted by the Court.

Mary E. Miller vs George Miller, in divorce; answer of the respondent filed.

Clara Shreeder vs Walter Shreeder, in divorce; Chas. R. Mock appointed committee ad litem.

Estate of Philip Chamberlain, deceased; widow's inventory filed.

Estate of D. R. P. Spang, filing of account waived.

Resignation of Clarence Bolger, constable of Woodbury Borough filed.

J. W. Streepy vs J. W. Sutors. In domestic attachment; leave granted to sell personal property.

S. R. Longenecker, Esq. appointed to audit the accounts of the Prothonotary and of the Register and Recorder.

BRUMBAUGH GETS 73 DITTIES FOR STATE'S SONG

Harrisburg, Dec. 14.—Seventy three songs, dedicated to Pennsylvania, one of them by a man 91 years old, some from soldiers and others which the senders say are just "inspirations" have been received at Governor Brumbaugh's office as the result of Governor Brumbaugh's appeal one week ago to the people of Pennsylvania to write a state song.

According to the statement made at the governor's office the state executive does not intend to act as judge, but he merely desired to arouse interest in a state song so that the people, especially the soldiers could determine what was best. It was suggested today that songs be sent to publishers who are in a position to judge of merit.

The demobilization of the army will take at least six months. So don't look for the boys back too soon Christmas is too early.

Governor Whitman of New York has given up all hopes of defeating James E. Smith democrat for governor of the Empire State. Whitman could hardly think that he could be defeated and when the returns came in he wanted to think he was elected any way so the fall wouldn't be so hard. The Democrats carried Ohio and New York and the solid south, a poor comfort for Republicans.

BRIDE of BATTLE

A Romance of the American Army Fighting on the Battlefields of France

By VICTOR ROUSSEAU

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Mark drew back his hand and struck upward with all his might.

He felt the burn of the powder as the discharged bullet sped under his chin, he heard the startled cry of the Germans; and then a furious outburst of machine-gun fire came from the trenches opposite. Two very lights went up, revealing the two struggling men to the sentries on either side.

Mark saw a powerful man, a sergeant, he thought, with close-cropped yellow hair and the body of a Hercules. The man dashed at him, striking madly with his bare fists. The two fought amid a hailstorm of bullets.

Suddenly the German uttered a choking cry and dropped, blood spurting from his throat, where a chance bullet had found him. As he fell, Mark precipitated himself upon him and lay flat on the ground.

The firing died away. Captain Mark began to crawl back toward the parapet of his lines. A whispered challenge, an answer, and he had scaled



Fought Amid a Hailstorm of Bullets.

the sandbags and descended into the mud of the trench, to find the firing posts crowded and himself facing Kellerman and the company captain.

Inwardly boiling, he stood still. It was too dark to see the expression on Kellerman's face, but he could imagine the sneering grin that disfigured it.

"Well!" said Kellerman sharply. "The man you sent me to bring in was dead. He had been there for days."

"Where are your companions?" demanded Kellerman.

"Captured."

"And you?"

"We were attacked in the dark. I fought with my man until a bullet killed him. The others were taken."

"And your stretcher?" asked Kellerman with a bland sneer.

"I left it between the lines. Do you wish me to go back for it, sir?"

"This man is lying," said Kellerman to the captain calmly. "He abandoned his companions and ran away. He lost his stretcher. Put him under arrest."

The captain beckoned to the platoon sergeant, who came forward.

"I'd like to say one thing," said Mark, striving to keep his voice steady.

"We three were sent out to bring in a dead man, who had been dead for days—anyone here will bear me out in this. Was any man wounded tonight? There was only one body in this section."

"Cut it out!" said the sergeant, laying his hand on Mark's shoulder.

But Mark swung clear of him and turned and faced Kellerman again.

"You sent me out tonight to put me out of the way!" he cried, losing all self-control. "For reasons that you know, and I know, you wanted me dead, and you were willing to send two others to their death also. You lied to me to put me off my guard. I—"

"You, you treacherous dog! And here's the blow you gave, back again!"

He struck Kellerman a buffet that sent him reeling back against the parapet.

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The three officers who had brought in their verdict, and the fourth, of high rank, who had passed the sentence, stood rather stiffly at the door of the little headquarters village house, watching Mark as, with hands chained, he was marched away by two armed guards toward the jail.

When he was out of sight they un-

"Don't it!" said one. "My sentiments," answered another. "What do you think, McKinnon?" "I don't want to think about it." "If it had been some tough who had got roped into the army—a gunman or that sort—but—"

"Well, if the fellow's a gentleman, why did he do it? He must have known."

"And, after all, he might have been respited for the blow, but the gross cowardice—"

"I don't see that. The blow was worse than the cowardice. A new hand, between the lines at night, his first night—Kellerman shouldn't have sent him—"

"I don't follow you there. Kellerman had known the man in the U. S. and wanted to give him a chance to redeem himself."

At nightfall Mark was sitting in his cell. He had eaten, he had composed himself to meet his end according to the traditions of his caste and race; but he could not meet it calmly. He had deliberately flung everything away; he had let Kellerman goad him to madness; he was going to die without even the soldier's satisfaction of duty honorably done. And he could not compose himself.

Suddenly he heard the outer gate of the prison click; then came the sound of voices, footsteps, a woman's swishing skirts; Eleanor and Colonel Howard stood at the barred entrance with the guard.

Mark rose from his bed and stood staring at them; he could hardly believe them real. The guard unlocked the door of the cell. Eleanor shrank back against the corner of the masonry, her kerchief to her lip, her face chalky white. Suddenly she started forward. The Colonel whispered a word, she brushed him aside as if she had not heard him. Her arms sought Mark's neck and found it. She pressed her lips to his.

"Captain Mark! Dear Captain Mark!" she sobbed.

And, holding her closely to him, and forgetting Howard's presence and everything else, Mark found his peace. Colonel Howard was trying to calm her, to assuage her frantic grief. At last he persuaded her to sit down. He took Mark by the arm as if he were a child, and placed him beside her.

"Mark, my dear boy—Mark, I heard of it only five minutes ago," he said. "I had to spend the night here, and Eleanor had got leave to meet me. I've just learned the outlines of it. I'm trying to get the General. Yes, yes, I know he refused this morning, but he didn't know. I'm only going to ask for a respite till I can see him personally. It will come out all right. Now tell me, Mark, what happened? How did Kellerman meet you? Why did you strike him? I don't ask about the charge of cowardice, because that isn't worth speaking about. I'll settle that with the General—I haven't forgotten Santiago. But about that blow, Mark—how did it all happen? Tell me exactly, so that I—"

It was unlike the old Colonel to gabble so fast. Perhaps he was afraid of breaking down.

"Can tell the General. Now begin, Mark. Tell me from the beginning."

But Mark did not open his lips. And before Colonel Howard could resume Eleanor had sprung up and faced Mark eagerly.

"Now, Captain Mark, listen! If you've never listened to me before, listen now!" she cried. "I know you aren't going to tell the Colonel. It's

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When he slowly grew conscious it was with the glad realization that he had found her. He felt her hands, supple and warm, binding a bandage round his arm. He opened his eyes to see her face bent over his. And it was dawn.

Vague cries rang in his ears, distant cries, blending, surging, swelling and dying down, but never ceasing. The rattle of small-arms was continuous, and punctuated by the loud timbre of guns.

He was lying amid a heap of debris that had been the village jail. Not far away he saw the Colonel sitting with eyes closed, propped up against the fragments of a wall, a blood-stained bandage round his head.

"O thank God!" cried Eleanor. "You have been unconscious so long, Captain Mark! And the Colonel is badly hurt. I saw the Red Cross wagon pass and cried, but they could not hear me."

All round them the guns were booming, all round them they saw khaki-clad Americans swarming over the fields, and yet the village seemed deserted. They were alone in a little oasis of calm amid the tumult.

"What are we to do?" cried the girl. "Can you walk? Try to stand on your feet. Let me help you. We must get the Colonel somewhere."

The question on Mark's lips died away as there came the howl of a heavy shell, followed by a stunning impact. A column of broken bricks spouted into the air at the end of the street, dissolving into a cloud of dust. An interval, and again there came a missile from the monster gun. A house in the next street went down like cardboard.

It was the threatened attack on the American lines. The enemy was in force somewhere across the fields, the reserves were rushing up to repel them.

Mark staggered to his feet and found that he could stand. His arm ached under the bandage, but it was not broken. Probably a splinter had struck him. He made his way toward the Colonel, who eyed him vacantly as he approached.

"Take Eleanor to safety and leave me, Mark," he said, in a choking voice.

"I'll take you both, sir. This can't last long. Our men will be in the village in a few minutes. Or an ambulance will pass."

Mark put his hands beneath the Colonel's arms and tried to lift him.

As the Colonel tried to stand he collapsed forward in Mark's arms. He

"There's nothing to tell, my dear," said Mark, groping for the words that

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Even as he kissed her in return he saw the startled glance that she cast behind her, and, following it with his eyes, he saw a tall figure in uniform emerge from the recesses of the office; and again he stood face to face with Kellerman.

Eleanor released him and stood, still clinging to him, at his side, her hand drawn through his arm. The contrast between the two men was extraordinary. Kellerman looked as if he had just stepped into his uniform; his gloved hands, his adjusted belt, the creases in his tunic were those of the fashion-plate. Looking at Mark, he saw a dirty, grimed, almost unrecognizable figure, with uniform that hung about him in great tatters, blotched and stained with blood.

"You said he would not come back!" cried Eleanor. "You see he has come back. What have you to say more?"

"You misunderstood me, Eleanor—"

"I understand you now for the first time in my life. I liked you, Major Kellerman. I trusted you and I believed in you. When you told me that you were working to get Captain Wallace his recognition I was glad, and proud of you both, and happy. What did you do?"

"What did he do?" cried Kellerman furiously. "Why should you believe evil things of me, because he said

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attacking ranks. They gave, and with a cheer the defenders swept on into the main street, Mark leading them."

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And suddenly he remembered Eleanor, and, ashamed and humiliated, and yet strangely elevated, he began to push his way back through the crowd.

He turned into the street of the jail. Dead bodies lay everywhere, and already some of the ambulance men were succoring the wounded. Broken guns, rifles, haversacks, all the paraphernalia of battle strewed the streets. The debris of the jail came into view. The sun, dancing above it, indicated, to Mark's astonishment, that hours had passed, and that it was afternoon. Mark felt suddenly sick, he trembled, and with his last reserves of strength he staggered forward.

Then he saw Colonel Howard within the office in the wall, and Eleanor kneeling beside him, holding a water-bottle to his lips. She turned, saw him, and ran to him, folded her arms about his neck and pressed her lips to his.

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And he could say nothing. Of Kellerman's blow outside the inn, of his false offer of friendship, of the treachery that had risked three lives that Mark might die on a false errand—nothing! And, if he had been able to speak, he could not have told. Yet he was ignorant of the inhibitory process that now, as always, held him in silence.

But Eleanor clung to him. "Yes, Captain Mark. Because he—"

"He sent three of us out to rescue a wounded man unnecessarily," said Mark lamely.

He saw a spasm pass over Howard's face. This was worse than Howard could have believed. The Colonel was shaken; his faith was strong, but he was one of those who accept the obvious.

"Listen, Captain Mark!" said Eleanor, speaking as if to a baby. "That isn't what you wanted to say. You had no thought of criticizing your superior officer, even if you thought him wrong. That isn't what you meant. Perhaps he'll tell me, father! Stand back a little. Now, whisper it, 'Captain Mark!'"

But in the shelter of Eleanor's arms Mark felt altogether at peace. What did it matter, all this of long ago?

"Are you going to marry Kellerman, Eleanor?" he asked.

Very softly, in the obscurity, he felt her shake her head. And the action had precisely the opposite effect of what Eleanor had intended.

For nothing mattered any more, nothing at all. He couldn't find excuses—Mark Wallace had never excused himself in his life.

Eleanor drew herself out of his arms and looked at him. He looked from her face to the Colonel's. Why were they worrying him? How could he hope to save his life by going into the obscure details and explanations that they required of him?

And what a long pigmarole, beginning back in the war department! Mark could not string a case together; his mind was not constructed in that fashion.

Eleanor laid her hand on his arm. "Captain Mark—don't you see that every moment is torture to us?" she asked.

There was a terrible intensity in her tone, as if she were holding herself rigidly in restraint, for fear that she would fail should she yield to her emotion.

"I struck him," stammered Mark. "I told you why. I thought he was wrong to risk those lives—"

The look upon each face seemed to be frozen there; it was as if their lives and not Mark's, hung upon a sword.

Suddenly a shriek pierced the sky, cutting off Mark's speech, and a shell burst somewhere by with a shattering detonation, followed by the dull boom of a distant gun. The Colonel started, and then resumed his gaze.

It seemed to Mark as if that was an eternity of torture. He struggled in his mind desperately to find words to say when the noise subsided.

But there came a stunning sound that seemed to split his ear-drums. He fell forward, and felt as if some one had lifted him; looked out into darkness, sought Eleanor and knew nothing.

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When he slowly grew conscious it was with the glad realization that he had found her. He felt her hands, supple and warm, binding a bandage round his arm. He opened his eyes to see her face bent over his. And it was dawn.

Vague cries rang in his ears, distant cries, blending, surging, swelling and dying down, but never ceasing. The rattle of small-arms was continuous, and punctuated by the loud timbre of guns.

He was lying amid a heap of debris that had been the village jail. Not far away he saw the Colonel sitting with eyes closed, propped up against the fragments of a wall, a blood-stained bandage round his head.

"O thank God!" cried Eleanor. "You have been unconscious so long, Captain Mark! And the Colonel is badly hurt. I saw the Red Cross wagon pass and cried, but they could not hear me."

All round them the guns were booming, all round them they saw khaki-clad Americans swarming over the fields, and yet the village seemed deserted. They were alone in a little oasis of calm amid the tumult.

"What are we to do?" cried the girl. "Can you walk? Try to stand on your feet. Let me help you. We must get the Colonel somewhere."

The question on Mark's lips died away as there came the howl of a heavy shell, followed by a stunning impact. A column of broken bricks spouted into the air at the end of the street, dissolving into a cloud of dust. An interval, and again there came a missile from the monster gun. A house in the next street went down like cardboard.

It was the threatened attack on the American lines. The enemy was in force somewhere across the fields, the reserves were rushing up to repel them.

Mark staggered to his feet and found that he could stand. His arm ached under the bandage, but it was not broken. Probably a splinter had struck him. He made his way toward the Colonel, who eyed him vacantly as he approached.

"Take Eleanor to safety and leave me, Mark," he said, in a choking voice.

"I'll take you both, sir. This can't last long. Our men will be in the village in a few minutes. Or an ambulance will pass."

Mark put his hands beneath the Colonel's arms and tried to lift him.

As the Colonel tried to stand he collapsed forward in Mark's arms. He

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looked at Mark piteously. "Take her and leave me," he whispered. "And listen to me, Mark. She cares for you. All will come right, if I can keep my worthless carcass alive until I've seen the General. But I never counted on being done up like this."

There were tears in the old man's eyes. "Forgive me, my boy," he muttered, and fell into unconsciousness.

Mark set him down against the wall again. It was impossible to move him, even with Eleanor's help.

Mark looked at Eleanor. "It's safest here," he said. "The village will be occupied soon. Help will come."

He broke off abruptly as another of the heavy shells dropped nearer, sending the brick fragments flying in all directions. Of a sudden it had occurred to him that the reason why the Americans did not enter the village was that it was a death-trap; its ranges were all mapped and plotted, and the Germans were bent on its systematic destruction.

Mark stood by Eleanor in irresolution, cursing his fate. He did not know what to do. He could not leave her; and yet he felt a burning impulse to play some part in affairs. His eye, trained by long years of practice, took in the tactical situation at a glance. The Germans must have made a prodigious thrust in the night, bursting through the center; the reserves, still rushing over the fields, were trying to fill and hold the gap. And the little Headquarters village was the key to the whole battlefield.

Wounded men came streaming down the street, followed by the merciless shells. The aeroplane above was still circling like a hawk; it seemed incredible that no aeroplane attacked it. And it was quite clear to Mark that only treachery, calculated and long planned, could have brought about the situation.

For the Germans must have advanced four miles since nightfall.

"Help will come—" Mark repeated; and suddenly, even above the drumfire, he could hear the sounds of cheering. And, topping the ridge that ran before the village, there came a swarm of gray-green figures, thrusting back the thin, scattered line that held it. The bullets were whirling overhead, audible, and like a swarm of bees.

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Whereas our ranks have again
been invaded by death and one of
our beloved and charter members
has been called from his earthly
labor to fields of greater usefulness
in the life beyond; and

Whereas, we feel the loss most
keenly on account of his friendly-
ness and help to the order for thirty
years; therefore be it

Resolved, That we extend to the
bereaved family our kindest sym-
pathy and assure them that he will
ever be remembered as one who took
his part manfully in the promotion
of our principals; and his place
as a citizen and friend.

Resolved, That we insert these res-
olutions in the "CAMP NEWS"
and in one of the county papers, also
that they be spread on our minutes
of our deceased Brother.

Respectfully Submitted
William C. Nave
H. C. Hite
Charles W. Doremmer

ROUND KNOB

The stork visited at the home of
Goldie Chaney and left there a sol-
der boy.

Mr. Benjamin Gorden and wife
are suffering with the Flu.

Mike Goworty and wife and chil-
ren visited at the home of Albert &
Figard on Sunday.

Mrs. George Mort and wife visit-
ed at the home of Mason Thomas
on Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Figard and daugh-
ter Ruth visited at the home of
Christie Ford on Sunday.

The preaching at Round Knob was
very largely attended on last Sun-
day.

Harry Thomas and wife visited at
the home of Mike Goworty on Sun-
day.

Wade H. Figard butchered four
fine porkers on Monday.

SPRING HOPE

The Flu is very common thing in
this section though very unwelcome,
there are only a couple families in
Spring Hope that do not have it.

Miss Lena Blattenberger a train-
ed nurse of Altoona came home to
visit but was called away to nurse
Flu victims near Rainsburg.

Mrs. Cal Smith has been spend-
ing some time with her daughter
Mrs. Otto who recently had the Flu
at St. Clairsville.

Lloyd Wright came home on Wed-
nesday of last week from a two
weeks deer hunt in Huntingdon Co.
he reports seeing some but came
home without any.

Elmer Zeigler of Lammersville a
former Spring Hope boy was buried
on Monday at the union cemetery
near Fishertown. Elmer was well
thought of while a resident of this
place.

H. L. Hull spent Monday in Al-
toona on a business mission.

H. C. Hoover is in Bedford this
week acting in the capacity of Jury
Commissioners Clerk.

JOHN BAILEY

John Bailey an aged and respect-
ed citizen died at his residence near
this place on Friday morning after
several months illness brought on
by a paralytic stroke from which
he never fully recovered. The fun-
eral of this aged father took place
on Tuesday afternoon services be-
ing held at the house interment in
the cemetery at Helixville.

Miss Elizabeth Ferguson of Wolfs-
burg Rt. 1 is working for H. L. Hull
The sale of the personal property
and real estate of the late William
Winegardner was held Tuesday and
was fairly well attended. The man-
sion farm was sold to Harry Burns
for \$2900.00 and the sawmill lot to
Lloyd Wright and son for \$660.00
Pilgrim

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE

The undersigned administrator of
Thomas Howard Benton late of King
Township, Bedford County, Pa., de-
ceased, by virtue of an order of the
Orphans Court of Bedford County,
will offer at public sale on Saturday
January 11, 1919, at one o'clock
p. m. all the real estate of said de-
ceased, to wit:

A tract of land in Kimmel Town-
ship, Bedford County, containing 14
acres, 116 perches more or less ad-
joining lands of Milton Claar, Philip
Ickes, Susan Claycomb's heirs, Mich-
ael Weyant, Mrs. Elmira Berkheimer
and others, having thereon erected a
two story log house, log stable and
outbuildings.

Terms: 10 per cent of bid must be
paid or secured on day of sale; re-
mainder in cash at confirmation of
sale.

Alex. C. Burkot, Administrator.
Frank E. Colvin, Attorney.
Dec. 20, 31st.

RURAL CARRIER EXAMINATION

The United States Civil Service
Commission has announced an exam-
ination for the County of Bedford,
Pa. to be held at Bedford on Jan. 11
1919 to fill the position of rural
carrier at Hopewell, Mann's Choice,
and Chaneyville and vacancies that
may later occur on rural routes from
either post-offices in the above men-
tioned county. The examination will
be open only to male citizens who
are actually domiciled in the terri-
tory of a post-office in the county and
who meet the requirements set forth

in Form No. 1977. This form and
application blanks may be obtained
from the offices mentioned above or
from the United States Civil Service
Commission at Washington, D. C.
to the Commission at Washington at
the earliest practicable date.

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surance Society.

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the Equitable for voucher in full

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the life of my deceased husband, Jo-
seph M. Souser who was killed a few
days ago. The promptness in this
payment speaks well for the Equi-
table.

(Signed) Emma C. Souser.

The order of the day is butchering.
Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Breakall
who spent a few days with Mrs. Sav-
annah Smith returned home Sat-
day.

Dr. Meyers of Everett took Eldon
little son of John Shipway to the
Western Maryland Hospital at Cumb-
erland for treatment.

Fairview school is progressing
nicely under the careful management
of Christy Frye.
James Robinson is on the sick
list.

The Danger.

"If you ain't a fighter," said Uncle
Eben, "you runs a terrible risk of jes'
bein' stuck up an' used for target prac-
tice."

Maybe You Are Right.

The unsuccessful man is always sure
his poverty is the result of bad luck.
The successful man is equally certain
that his own success was due to his
business judgment.

Robins Are Gluttons.

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to the robin's nest every 15 minutes.
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or three times its weight in bugs and
worms. When food is offered these
ever-hungry little creatures open their
large yellow mouths wide and jostle
each other.

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The price guaranteed by the Government of \$2.20 a bushel stimulated this action on the part of the farmer, but there is without question a loyal spirit of patriotism too behind the effort. Heretofore the foreign nations felt that America was sure to use up its own product but next year, just as well as the year present will teach those nations that America can produce all it needs and more too when put to the test. The corn, oats and rye crops are staged for big yields too, owing to the splendid weather for fall plowing. Next year in brief promises to be the greatest year for America ever known. We will be called upon in many ways to help the nations coming out of the war.

I HAVE NO LOVER ON THE BATTLE-FIELD
By Jessie B. Rittenhouse
I have no lover on the battle-field.
I do not go with sickening fear at heart,
And when the crier calls the latest horror

I do not start,
I have no lover on the battle-field.
I am exempt from terror of the night,
I can lie down, serene and disregarding.

Until the light.
But on the battlefield had I a lover,
How life would purge itself of petty pain,
And what would matter all the petty losses.

The petty gain
I should be one with those who suffer greatly.
With pain all pain above,
And I should know then, beyond peradventure,
The heart of Love!

FOR YOU TO GUESS
Here is a puzzle I have made,
Something for you to guess.
And if you're wrong I'll shake my head,
And if you're right say "yes."

I have a treasure made of silk,
I love it very much,
And try to take good care of it,
And so I never touch.

It with my hands unless they're clean,
Nor leave it lying round.
I always hold it way up high
To keep it off the ground.

It's not the pretty shiny silk,
That makes me love it so.
A piece of faded cotton cloth
Would be as dear I know.

If only it had stripes on it,
And lots of stars there, too,
And just three colors it must have—
Now who can guess? Can you?

GOODNIGHT
Some things go to sleep in such a funny way:
Little birds stand on one leg and tuck their heads away;
Chickens do the same, standing on their perch;
Little mice lie soft and still—as if they were in church;
Kittens curl up close in such a funny hump;
Horses hang their sleepy heads and stand still in the stall;
Sometimes dogs stretch out, or curl up in a heap;
Cows lie down upon their sides when they would go to sleep.
But little babies dear are snugly tucked in beds,
Warm with blankets, all soft and pillows for their heads,
Bird and beast and babe—I wonder which of all
Dream the dearest dreams from dreamland fall!



By M.C. Merker

Music that rents Purse and Happiness

The piano mail order house invariably offers "something extraordinary" as its bait and likewise finds its victims everywhere. We have here in thought the man who heard the finely toned and attractive offerings of his home merchant but who later chose to send his money to a distant city for a piano that was described in the old stereotyped way as "just as good" and which was offered at a few dollars less. He paid the freight, the drayage and expense of tuning, only to find that he had received an unsatisfactory, poorly-toned and all-around-inferior piano. His wife regrets his lack of discretion, his friends laugh and his father recalls that in his day there was happiness in community co-operation.

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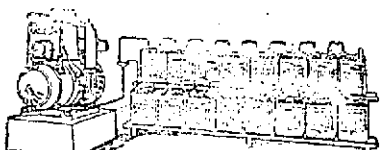
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P. A. Barnett, Saxton
George Koontz, Cessna
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Bedford Pa
Nov. 29 11.

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Dec. 13, 4th.

TRIENNIAL ASSESSMENT
APPEALS 1919

Appeals from the Triennial Assessment of 1919 will be held in the commissioners office in Bedford for the different townships and Boroughs as follows:

Bedford Borough December 30 1918
Bedford Twp December 30 1918
Bloomfield December 30 1918
Broad Top December 30 1918
Coaldale December 30 1918
Colerain December 30 1918
Cumb. Valley December 30 1918
Everett December 30 1918
Harrison December 30 1918
Hopewell Borough December 30 1918
Hyndman December 30 1918
Juniata December 30 1918
Kimmell December 30 1918
King December 30 1918
Liberty December 30 1918
Lincoln December 30 1918
Londonderry December 30 1918
Mann December 30 1918
Mann's Choice December 30 1918
Monroe December 31 1918
Napier December 31 1918
New Paris December 31 1918
Pleasantville December 31 1918
Providence East December 31 1918
Providence West December 31 1918
Rainsburg December 31 1918
Saxton December 31 1918
Schellsburg December 31 1918
Snake Spring December 31 1918
Southampton 1 December 31 1918
Southampton 3 December 31 1918
St. Clairville December 31 1918
St. Clair East December 31 1918
St. Clair West December 31 1918
Union December 31 1918
Woodbury Bor. December 31 1918
Woodbury Twp. December 31 1918
Woodbury South December 31 1918

Appeals for state purposes on same dates.

The millage for 1919 has been fixed at 8 mills and the Dog License has been fixed at one dollar (\$1.00) for a male and two dollars (\$2.00) for a female to January 15th 1919. From January 16th to February 15 1919 the license on a male shall be one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) and on a female Three dollars (\$3.00) After February 15th the license on a male shall be two dollars (\$2.00) and on a female it shall be four dollars (\$4.00).

Thomas C. Bradley
Albert R. Layton
Nevin Diehl
County Commissioners

Attest: George R. Shuck, Clerk.
December 6 311

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Clarence H. Shultz, late of the Borough of Saxton, County of Bedford and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to the said decedent to make payment to me without delay.

Mrs. H. Iola Shultz, Administratrix
Alvin L. Little, —Attorney
Nov. 22, 6th

The Treatment You Finally Take
OLD DR. THEEL'S
1719 Spring Garden St. 1898
1719 Spring Garden St. 1908
1719 Spring Garden St. 1918

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Estate of James C. Wigfield, late of Mann Township Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

George E. Morse
Administrator
Piney Creek, Pa.
Emory D. Clear, —Attorney
Dec. 13 6 th.

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MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the First National Bank of Schellsburg, Pa., for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking house on the second Tuesday of Jan. 1919, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 m.

W. C. KEYSER
Cashier.

Dec. 13, 4th.

MEETING OF STOCK HOLDERS

The Annual meeting of the share holders of the Bedford County Trust Company, of Bedford Pennsylvania will be held in its basement auditorium on Monday January 6th 1919 between the hours of 10:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. the purpose of electing nineteen directors to serve for the year of 1919 and to transact such other business as may properly come before such meeting.

P. N. Risser Secy

Dec. 13, 4th.

The Board of Directors of the Bedford County Trust Company have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 1-2 per cent out of earnings of the last six months free of tax, payable to share holders of record December 31st 1918, payable January 6th 1919 and have placed \$10,000.00 to surplus, making a surplus of \$20,000.00.

P. N. Risser—Treasurer

Dec. 13, 4th.

Friends Cove Reformed Church
Walter C. Pugh,—Pastor
Owing to the increase of Influenza in the Cove there will be no services on Sunday at Trinity and Zion But if anyone desires the services of the pastor he is ready and willing to render whatever service he can.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE

Estate of John H. Fickes, late of King Township, Bedford County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Bedford County, the undersigned administrator of John H. Fickes deceased will offer at pub-

lic sale on the premises in King township, said County, on Saturday January 11th 1919, at 12 o'clock M. the mansion property of decedent, containing 13 acres more or less, having thereon erected a two-story frame house, bank barn and outbuildings.

TERMS: Ten per cent down on day of sale, and balance in cash on confirmation and delivery of deed.
V. A. Finnegan, Administrator.
D. C. Reiley,—Attorney.
Dec. 20 3w.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Mrs. Mary E. Scott, late of Juniata Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned executrix named in the last will and testament of Mrs. Mary E. Scott late of Juniata Township Bedford County, Pa., deceased all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby notified to present the same without delay for payment, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment of the same

Mrs. Carrie B. Ross —Executrix
Shanksville, Cambria Co. Pa.

Simon H. Sell—Attorney
Dec. 20 6w

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Josiah S. Zeigler, late of Juniata Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to the undersigned.

Bruce E. Zeigler
S. W. Bittner
Administrators

Simon H. Sell,—Attorney
Dec. 20 6w

Friends Cove Lutheran Charge

A. B. Miller—Pastor
Owing to the continued prevalence of the dread Influenza it has been deemed best to keep our churches closed again on Sunday the 22nd. Hence let us spend the day again as suggested last week.

Dunnings Creek Reformed Charge
J. H. Dorman—Pastor
Sunday December 22nd. Pleasant Hill: Sunday school 9 a. m. Preaching 10 A. M.

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BEDFORD, PA.

THE WILLOWS

The "Flu" is raging in our community at this writing.

The many friends of Miss Florence Price were sorry to hear of her death. She had been ill for some time, but no one thought the end was so near.

Mr. Warren Reighard of Tyrone visited S. S. Baker's.

Miss Miriam Foreman of Bedford spent Tuesday with her grandmother Mrs. M. J. Amick.

Mrs. Philip Clark of Everett

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visited Mr. and Mrs. Ross Clark and family.

Mrs. Mary Amick spent a few days with Mrs. Sarah Sleighter and family of Clearville.

Miss Margaret Reighard spent a few days with her sister Mrs. Ray Amick of Bedford.

Mrs. William Nagler of Bedford and Mrs. Frank Suter of Mann's Choice visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Grant Bollman on Sunday who are ill with the Flu.

Mrs. Ray Amick and daughters Vesta and Pearl of Bedford called on relatives at this place on Thursday.

Waste of Time.

A little fellow, age four, was repeating after his mother, ending with "bless papa, mamma, grandpa, brother and sister, and everybody." "Mamma," said her "if we had said 'everybody' at the start it wouldn't have taken up so much of God's time."

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"We need not be savages to be healthy; but we should make sure the air we breathe, the food we eat, and the water we drink are as pure as those of the savage."—J. H. Kellogg.

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The Druggist Bedford, Pa.



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That raw, hoarse throat must be soothed. That phlegm-loaded chest must be loosened. That cough must be checked so you can sleep.
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San Cura Soap will remove pimples, blackheads and many skin diseases. Makes the complexion clear and the skin velvety. 25 cents at Ed. D. Heckerman's.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Lavina Miller, late of Napier Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

Daniel Miller
Administrator.

Rt. 1, Schellsburg, Pa.
E. M. Pennell,—Attorney
Nov. 15, 6t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Daniel Elmer Fickes, late of Kimmell Township Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

Charles R. Mock Administrator.
Bedford, Pa.

Nov. 22, w6

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Charles W. Colvin, late of Napier Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

Anna Pearl and George W. Colvin.
Administrators
Schellsburg, Pa.

Frank E. Colvin,—Attorney
Nov. 22, w6

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of John H. Fickes late of King Township Bedford County, Pa. deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

V. A. Finnegan, Administrator
Inler, Pa. Rt. 1

D. C. Reiley,—Attorney
Nov. 29, 6t.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Jacob Witt, late of Londonderry Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted, the undersigned executor named in the last will and testament of Jacob Witt late of Londonderry Township Bedford County, Pa., deceased, all persons, having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby notified to present the same without delay for payment, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

John W. Buchanan
Executor
Cumberland Md.

Frank E. Colvin, —Attorney
Nov. 22, 6w

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of John Gephart late of Cumberland Valley Township Bedford County Pa. Deceased;

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned executrix named in the last will and testament of John Gephart late of Cumberland Valley Township Bedford County Pa. deceased all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby notified to present the same without delay for payment and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

Carrie S. Nave, Executrix
Cumberland Valley Pa.
Frank E. Colvin—Attorney
Dec 6 6ti.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Thomas Howard Benton late of King Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

Alex. C. Burket,
Administrator
Pavia, Pa.

Frank E. Colvin, —Attorney
Nov. 22 6ti.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,

Lucas County, ss
Frank J. Cheney, makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Subscribed and sworn to before me on my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1918.
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Walter H. Topper, late of Hyndman Borough, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

Annie M. Topper, Executrix
Hyndman, Pa.

Nov. 8, 6ti.

W. K. Sproule, Jr. Assistant Cashier,
Columbia National Bank,
Indianapolis, Indiana

Says: We were bothered quite a little by rats in our basement, destroying our stationery, but after distributing your RAT SNAP very thoroughly, we are pleased to report that we are no longer bothered with them. Four sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00 and \$3.00.

Sold by Metzgar Hardware Co.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D.,
Teacher of English Bible in the Moody
Bible Institute of Chicago.
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LESSON FOR DECEMBER 22

THE BIRTH OF JESUS.

LESSON TEXT—Luke 2:1-21.
GOLDEN TEXT—For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour who is Christ the Lord.—Luke 2:11.

Note: Since the lesson committee has suggested the birth of Jesus, a Christmas lesson, as an alternative for this day, doubtless for most classes it will be desirable to use the Christmas lesson and substitute the alternative lesson for the review on December 20. The birth of the Saviour occurred at a most propitious time. The need was great, for the systems of morals and religion were tottering upon their foundations. It was also a time of great opportunity, for the whole world was under one rule, making it possible for evangelists to go from city to city and country to country without fear of molestation. The place of his birth was Bethlehem, as the prophet had foretold some seven hundred years before (Micah 5:2). God permitted the journey to enforce a decree of taxation just at the time to cause Mary to be at Bethlehem when she gave birth to the Saviour. That which the Word of God has announced shall most surely come to pass, though its fulfillment seems most unlikely and unreasonable. The surroundings of his birth were the most humble sort. The Almighty Creator condescended to take upon himself humanity—to be born in a manger, becoming the poorest of the poor that none might be hindered from coming to him.

1. The Saviour's Birth Announced (2:1-14).
1. To Whom—Shepherds (v. 8). In the first Christmas service the audience was composed of humble shepherds. The glorious gospel message was first sounded forth to these humble men while watching over their flocks by night. Poverty is no barrier to the reception of the gospel message. God does not reveal himself mainly to the princes and great men of the earth. "Hath not God chosen the poor of this world, rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom?" (James 2:5). Neither did their devotion to their calling exclude them from this greatest favor of God. Moses, Gideon, Amos and Elisha were called by the Lord from the busy activities of life. He never calls the idle. The Lord has no use for a lazy man. The working man is God's peculiar interest.

2. By Whom—The Angel of the Lord (v. 9). The first gospel sermon was delivered by the angel of the Lord. Angels, the exalted ministers of God are interested in men (Hebrews 1:14), and this one announced unto men God's plan of salvation. These beings no doubt sincerely sympathized with poor, sin-cursed, fallen men.
3. The Message—Good Tidings (v. 10). (1) A Saviour is born. Surely this was a glad message. Heathen darkness which had so long cursed the earth was beginning to vanish. The casting out of Satan, the prince of the world, was about to take place (John 12:31). Liberty was about to be proclaimed to those in bondage to sin. The way of salvation was about to be opened to all. So glorious was this news that a multitude of the heavenly host accompanied this announcement with their song of praise. It is through Jesus Christ that God's kindness and good will are made known to man. (2) Peace (v. 14). Peace with God—peace of heart—peace with man. How incongruous this message with our time! The world war was the result of not receiving this blessed message. (3) Joy (v. 10). The gospel message is a joyful message because it frees from sin and removes all the burdens of this world.

11. The Shepherds Make Investigation (2:15, 16).
Though these things seemed passing strange to them they did not stop to question or argue; they went straight to Bethlehem and found everything just as the angels had said. They had the glorious privilege of gazing upon the world's Saviour—the very Lord of glory.

12. The Shepherds Witnessing (2:17).
When they saw the Lord they could not remain silent. They were impelled to make known abroad the good news. Those who have heard the good news of salvation through Christ and have verified it by personal investigation must tell it to others. The angels said that the good tidings of great joy should be to all people (v. 10). The gospel of Christ is for all people regardless of nationality or condition. It is just as really good news to the king as to the peasant. It fills the hearts of all with joy.

13. The Shepherds Praising God (2:18-20).
The testimony of the shepherds had a varying effect—some wondered, and others kept the sayings and pondered them, but the shepherds went back glorifying and praising God for all they had seen and heard. Those who have believed the gospel message and proclaimed it abroad have a peculiar joy which must express itself in praises to God.

Prefer diligence before idleness, unless you esteem rust before brightness.—Plato.



Not long ago a thrilling feat of bravery was exhibited by one of our boys, who charged a trench alone and captured many. Other things being equal—the strongest men survive and that is why our army surgeons are careful to pick out the men with good lung expansion, keen eyes, and good liver and kidneys. Our men on the firing line represent the pick of American youth. One in four of our boys at home was rejected because of physical deficiency. Many times the kidneys were to blame, but such conditions can now be overcome.

If we wish to prevent old age coming on too soon, or if we want to increase our chances for a long life, Dr. Pierce of the Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., says that we should drink plenty of water daily between meals. Then procure at the nearest drug store Anuric (double strength). This Anuric drives the uric acid out and cures backache and rheumatism, as well as kidney trouble.

If you want a trial package, send Doctor Pierce ten cents.
ROCKFORD, PA.—"I had pains in my back and kidneys and the excretion was blood-like. I got Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets—am using the third bottle—and have received wonderful results. Water is as clear as crystal. Dr. Pierce's are wonderful medicines."
"We also have the book, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, by Dr. Pierce, and find it a great help."—J. S. MORRIS, 222 Washington St.

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What could furnish stronger evidence of the efficiency of any remedy than the test of time? Thousands of people testify that Doan's Kidney Pills have brought lasting results.

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William Easter, 113 W. Penna St., Bedford, says: "I had a very severe attack of lumbago and my back was so lame, I could hardly get around. I suffered greatly and my kidneys were very sluggish, the kidney secretions being highly colored. I used a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and they promptly removed all traces of lumbago and soreness in my back and cleared up the kidney secretions."

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SUPERVISORS OF LONDONDERRY TOWNSHIP

William H. Lowery, Treas. Dr.
Balance from last year . . . \$838.31
Received from Collector R. C. Campbell . . . 1316.86
Received from State . . . 1573.75

\$3734.41

EXPENDITURES

Cr.
Repair of maintenance earth roads . . . \$1220.21
Permanent Bridges and Culverts . . . 512.02
For new Tools and Machinery . . . 4.45
For Repairs to tools and Machinery . . . 15.96
Road Masters wages . . . 358.01
Compensation Treasurer and Secretary . . . 48.98
Compensation Collector . . . 37.06
Removing snow & obstruction 53.85

MISCELLANEOUS.
Water rent, \$8.00 State Workman Insurance, \$19.00 . . . 27.02
Attorneys fee . . . 25.00
Lumber \$134.02 Strings 30 . . . 164.02
Spikes \$3.59. Affidavits \$3.75 . . . 7.34
Expressage \$1.24. Postage, 63c Paint & Oil, \$2.30 . . . 4.17
Stationery . . . 11.75
Auditing, printing, affidavits and postage . . . 6.57

\$2496.36
Balance in Treas hands. . . 1238.05

\$3734.41

Collector, R. C. Campbell, Dr.
Amount of Duplicate for '18 \$1446.83
To 5 per cent for Delinquent taxes . . . 6.75

\$1453.58

Cr.
Amount paid to Treas. . . \$1316.85
Unseated land tax returned . . . 69.11
Exonerations . . . 10.50
5 per cent for prompt payment 57.12

\$1453.58

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AUDITORS.

Dec 20 111.

Congratulations.
First Tramp (reading ad)—"Want-ed—Two husky men not afraid of work? Wot glorious luck; dis paper is six months old."

HOGWALLOW. NEWS

DUNK BOTTS, Regular Correspondent.

Some Where, Nov. 1918

Get your ice ponds ready. Winter promises to be short so be prepared to harvest the first crop produced. The late moulting of chickens, the scanty fur on animals, the thin bark on the north sides of trees and the scores of bald headed people all point to a mild winter.

Barney Sipes has already begun making his usual winter crop around the stove at the store. It is generally hinted at around here that if our allies had had to been fed from such crops as these winter crops made by Barney they would all have been starved to death long before the war was over.

It is now believed that Miss Georgia Smith is going to try to put up with Rat Barlow until after Christmas.

The Hopewell Loafer's Club had for discussion yesterday this subject "Idleness and Laziness". There were many heated arguments and some of the members at times got very personal.

A sleight of hand performer was arrested here Saturday night by the

Deputy Constable on a charge of counterfeiting when he threw several silver dollars out of Bill Barnes's hat. The Deputy says he has a clear cut case against him as the performer, he knows did not have more than one whole dollar before the show and did not take in but a few cents in admissions, and he is dead sure Bill did not have an yat any time.

The Old Miser worked on a stranger for a pipe full of tobacco yesterday.

Jack Johnson, who operates the moon shine still on Musket Ridge says if the anti-liquor laws get much more stringent he is going to have to demobilize.

It has leaked out on the Dog Hill Preacher that he took a glass of root beer at Tickville last week. When some of his stewards asked him how it tasted he said it tasted a good deal like root beer. The answer seems not to be satisfactory and the board of stewards may investigate further by appointing a committee to drink some of it.

When the sleight of hand performer was arrested here Saturday night by the

lessly and so much of it at the show Saturday night the Old Miser, who was there on a free pass, got up and left. It is believed that he left for the purpose of going home and digging up and counting his money to ascertain if it was all there.

George Robinson said he enjoyed the sleight of hand show Saturday night pretty well but that he believed there was some sort of trick in it.

The Hogwallow Civic Improvement Society had Dock Cornell, the blacksmith whose anvil has been lost, before it yesterday on a charge of working on Sunday. Dock pleaded the Ox in the Ditch. The prosecution offered the Biblical passage, Thou shalt not use thy man-servant, thy ox, thy ass," etc.

Tone Up YOUR STOMACH, LIVER AND BOWELS



By taking a harmless, Vegetable Liver Chocolate each night before retiring You will not only cause the bowels to move regularly every day, but will also derive the tonic effect that these little Liver Chocolates are guaranteed to produce. They can be given to children with perfect safety, as they are purely vegetable. They do not gripe or nauseate, as does castor oil, salts, and other irritating cathartics. Due to the increased demand for KELLOUGH'S VEGETABLE LIVER CHOCOLATES, your druggists' stock may have been depleted, but fresh supplies have been rushed to him.

Guaranteed to Give Satisfaction Or Money Refunded By The Company.
For Sale Where All Medicines Are Sold, or Sent On Receipt of Price.

and added thy anvil, hammer and tongs Dock was found guilty.

Miss Flutie Belcher has begun doing her hair up right tight on her head. Some think, by her actions, she is trying to attract Jim Piker. In her younger days she "snubbed" Jim but she is now vevry much older and may have reconsidered.

A fellow was in Hogwallow a few days ago trying to organize a bank and he had not gone far until he was arrested by the Deputy Constable and taken to Tickville, where he will later on have to stand trial for lunacy. It takes money to run a bank and nobody could see where is could be had here in Hogwallow. The Old Miser would risk nothing in such a venture.

NEW PARIS

A number of new cases of Flu have developed in our town and vicinity during the past week.

The well known merchant of our town W. J. Shoenthal has not been able to be in his store during the past week on account of heart trouble. At Bedford on December 7, 1918 Mr. Howard Moore of near this place and Miss Blanch Allison of Johnston were united in matrimony.

Lieut. H. I. Shoenthal of the medical corps, 11th division, Camp Meade is now home on a fifteen-day furlough. It is hoped that at the expiration of his vacation, he will be permitted to remain at home permanently. His services as a physician are much needed in our town and vicinity and adjoining localities at present.

BERTHA IRENE CUPPETT

On December 13, death claimed Bertha Irene, a little daughter aged 1 year 9 months and 7 days of Mr. and Mrs. W. Carleton Cuppett. During the spring and summer it was afflicted with whooping cough and measles and was scarcely over the latter when it was attacked by the Influenza. A short funeral service was conducted at the home on the following day by the Rev. A. F. Richards. Its little form now rests in the Reformed cemetery beside those of its little sisters who preceded it to the home beyond.

Subscribe for the GAZETTE, \$1.50

PURCELL

The order of the day around here is rain.

Mrs. Raymond Shaffer is very ill at this writing.

The Flu we are sorry to say isn't much better.

Albert Potts baby is very ill at this time.

Mr. Watson Akers and family visited Hiram Jays Sunday.

Miss Effie Clingerman is employed at Scott Crawfords the past week.

Mr. Ervon Tewell and family visited George Kennard Sunday.

Mr. Gusta Gordon who had been in training at Camp Lee has returned home again.

Mr. Marshall Collins and Rezy Dingley were business callers in Purcell Saturday.

Miss Effie Clingerman, Devona and Elsie Miller called on their friend Ella Barnes Sunday.

Samuel Barnes King and queen drove through Purcell Sunday eve.

Miss Janet Miller and Zela Collins called on home folks Friday eve and Saturday.

Mrs. Silas Miller is ill at this writing.

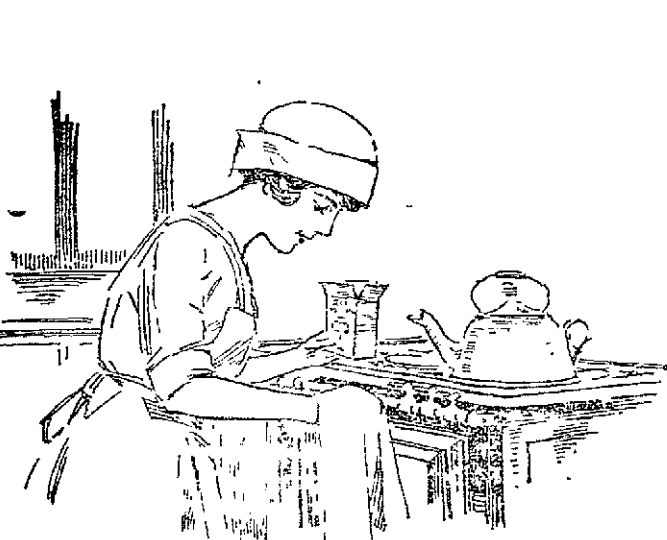
Mr. Hiram Shipley was out calling Sunday evening.

Mr. Kelly Cavender and Dewey Weight is able to be about again.

Miss Ida Crawford is employed at Hen Wigfields at this writing.

Mr. Carl Bennett was seen driving through Purcell Saturday evening.

Sparks Sunday evening.



11 A. M.—Then the Gas Range
20 MULE TEAM BORAX polishes nickel, cleans off grease and rust, and keeps the gas range bright and sanitary.



12 M.—Pans in Soak
As soon as the cooking is finished, put pots, pans and kettles into a solution of 20 MULE TEAM BORAX. The Borax does the scraping for you. Saves time, work and temper.



1 P. M.—Dishes Again
Merely an incident in the day's work, however, to the housewife who keeps 20 MULE TEAM BORAX handy. And remember the Borax sterilizes as it cleanses.



2 P. M.—For the Silver
Cleaning in a solution of 20 MULE TEAM BORAX, keeps the silver like new—and with practically no labor.



3 P. M.—The Ice Box
Into every corner the careful Housewife washes a strong solution of 20 MULE TEAM BORAX to dissolve, disinfect and carry away all grease and dirt.



4 P. M.—Bath-Tub Next
20 MULE TEAM BORAX sprinkled on a wet cloth removes soap "rings" and discolorations from the bath-tub—without labor. Keeps it bright and sanitary.



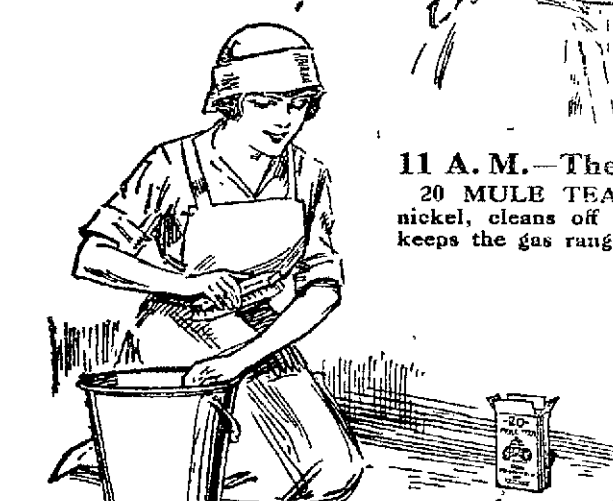
5 P. M.—Cleaning Windows
Rather late to start window cleaning? Not with 20 MULE TEAM BORAX to help. In a jiffy the Borax softens the water, loosens the dirt and leaves every pane clean and clear as crystal.



6 P. M.—Makes Baby's Bottle Safe
Into a hot solution of 20 MULE TEAM BORAX goes Baby's bottle, then out again, hygienically cleansed, sterilized and free from all possible danger of infection.



7 P. M.—Finally, the Garbage Can
Generally, into the garbage can, the housekeeper sprinkles 20 MULE TEAM BORAX to prevent the breeding of disease germs, to kill odors and keep the home wholesome and sanitary.



10 A. M.—Cleans Quickly
Floors, walls, woodwork—cleaned in half the time by a generous use of 20 MULE TEAM BORAX. And easily, because the Borax dissolves away the dirt without scrubbing.



9 A. M.—Baby's Bath
20 MULE TEAM BORAX softens the water, cleanses thoroughly, and is wonderfully comforting to tender skin.



8 A. M.—The Breakfast Dishes
With 20 MULE TEAM BORAX in the dishwasher the busy housewife makes short work of dishwashing. The Borax quickly cuts off grease from tableware, cleanses and puts a rich luster on glass.

Once Around the Clock

with
20

MULE TEAM BORAX

FOR every hour of the housewife's day there is a use for 20 Mule Team Borax—a use which will lighten the labor of housework and keep the home spic-and-span and wholesome.

Get a package of 20 Mule Team Borax at your dealer's today and keep it handy.

It's like having a maid-of-all-work ready at your call.

There are 100 Household Uses for 20 Mule Team Borax. Write for "Magic Crystal Booklet" describing them.

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 stayed in a woods a couple of nights and one woods we stayed in a week and it rained every day that week. When we left there we hiked from 3:00 p. m. until 11:30 a. m. and it rained all the time. you can imagine what the mud was like but we finally arrived on the Verdon front and it didn't take long after arriving there to find out that Sherman was right as far as he had gone, but he never got this far. I realize now that Sherman's definition of war is a very mild expression. After we had earned a rest and was taking advantage of it an order came in from Division Headquarters for me and eight other fellows in the Division to draw three days rations and detach service. I don't believe there was a happier Yank in France than I was; well I pretty quick got my belongings on my back and hiked to Division Headquarters and from there with the other eight fellows we started for Chaumont. On our way we hiked, rode in trucks, box cars, 3rd and 1st class coaches, we finally got her and right away got a new outfit and a good hot bath and said goodbye to the different shapes and sizes of cooties that we had accumulated for the past couple months.

Well I can frankly say that I am glad this thing is over with. I got a lot more of it than I ever expected but I don't regret it a bit. I have lost some good friends and made some.... I don't know if you have heard it or not but I lost the best boy friend I had Ed. It took the heart right out of me when I heard it I certainly feel sorry for his mother.

I had the pleasure of seeing General Pershing given the D. S. M. last week.

Received mother's letter a couple of days ago and was certainly glad to hear from you and that you were both well.

Well, I have been working all night and it is time now for me to get some breakfast and go to bed.

Love to both.

Private Ransom B. Nave

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CHAPMAN'S RUN

Several of our folks are suffering with influenza but all are reported better at this writing.

The telephone men were out repairing the line the latter part of the week, the trouble being caused by the sleet on Wednesday.

Our school has been closed over a week on account of the Flu; the teacher is improving at this writing.

Cyrus Ward had the misfortune of cutting his foot into the bone one day last week while chopping wood for an engine.

Sunday. He had been in training at Penn. State College.

Herman Clabaugh killed a hog last Monday that weighed 503 lbs.

Mrs. Nathan Morse expects to leave Friday for Altoona where she will spend some time with her son Herman and his family.

POINT

Mrs. Myrl Blackburn and two children of Cessna R. D. have been spending the last week visiting among her old neighbors about Point.

Mrs. Harry Feather of near Rainsburg has been spending the last week at her old home helping prepare for the sale that is to be held there on Tuesday 17th.

Mr. Joseph Mickel of Cessna R. D. spent Saturday with his sister Mrs. George W. McFarlin who is still very sick.

Squire L. C. Markel of New Buena Vista sold the personal property of George W. Ellenberger deceased, that was at the residence of Mrs. Barbara Black at public sale last Tuesday.

There are quite a number of influenza cases scattered throughout our community. But there are none reported as very serious.

Miss Jenny Cable returned last week from Roaring Springs where she had spent a week among friends and acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Manford Beckley of Ryot have been spending the week with the family of Mrs. Beckley's parents Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith. Mr. Beckley and family are moving to Braddock this week.

R. C. Smith is badly affected with boils on his back. So much so that he cannot get a coat on or off. Boils were said to be worth five dollars each some years ago. They may be considered worth more now since every thing else is so high in price. Raymond Dull one of our soldier boys who was located at Newport News, arrived at his home on Thursday. He was honorably discharged. He looks well and liked the service.

Psaltory Ancient Band Instrument.
 Among the instruments of the band which played before Nebuchadnezzar's golden image on the plains of Babel was the psaltory, a stringed instrument.

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It's a Guarantee of
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The Spirit of Christmas and Cheerfulness

All the world loves a bright and cheerful face and the clouds pass quickly where cheeriness reigns. That's why when you cross the threshold of your district store you see sunshine on the faces of every one, management and employes alike and the Christmas spirit and confidence that serves to brighten and lighten your shopping tour.

You will find no sad faces in these stores--no tales of woe, twist you and them. Despite the little troubles of the business day you'll find them cheerful, and true to the principles of light and life, thereby exemplifying the true Christmas spirit.

As the Holiday approaches you'll appreciate more and more the value of time. Hence the District Merchants listed below consider promptness as much of a duty as giving full value. It is natural for a customer to appreciate prompt, quick service, and they in turn reciprocate the appreciation by giving just such service. Indifference or scant attention have no place in these stores and the employes are always alert eager to wait on you with the utmost courtesy, consideration and dispatch.

Patronizing your District stores is a matter of friendship, doing business with home folks whom you know and can trust. Why not make this a really and truly "Christmas" by buying all your gifts in the "District." The satisfaction that you will derive from the knowledge that you have been fair and that the merchandise is dependable, will more than repay you.

BUY IT IN THE DISTRICT

Don't forget to take out your Red Cross membership.

DEPARTMENT STORES

Bon Ton, 1315-17 Eleventh Ave.
 Gable, Wm. F., & Co., 1318-30 11th Ave.
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 Schwartz Bros., 1301 Eleventh Ave.

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Harter, A. J., 11th Ave. & 15th St.
 Porch Bros. Inc., 1205 Eleventh St.

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Brett's, 1309 Eleventh Ave.
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Boecking & Meredith 1106 11th Ave
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Spectacle Bazaar 1112 Eleventh Ave
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 P&Q Clothes Shop 1323 Eleventh Ave
 Leopold & Bigley, 1123 Eleventh Ave
 March & Sons, 1226 Eleventh Ave.
 Stittler, L. E., 1110 Eleventh Ave.

RESTAURANTS

Beam's, 1117 Eleventh Ave.
 Caum's 1112 Twelfth Street

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J. W. Potter, Green Ave., Market St.

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Altoona Elec Eng. & Supply Co

MERCHANT TAILORS

Raugh Bros., 12th Ave & 11th St

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Altoona & Logan Valley Electric Ry. Co., 1200 Eleventh St.
 Penn Central Light & Power Co., 1809 Union Ave.

SHOE STORES

Bendheim, S., 1302 Eleventh Ave.
 Brett's Shoes, 1310 Eleventh Ave.
 Colbus Shoe Store, 1006 Bridge St.
 Lester Shoe Co., 1409 Eleventh Ave.
 Royal Boot Shop Co., 1309 1-2 Eleventh Ave.
 Simon, A., & Co., 1402 11th Ave.
 Soyster Shoe Co., 1126 Eleventh Ave.
 The Shoe Market, Eleventh Ave. & 16th St.

FURNITURE STORES

Aaron, W. S., 1426-28 Eleventh Ave.
 Rotherb Co., 12th Ave. & 12th St.
 Standard Furniture Co., 1405-07 Eleventh Ave.

FLORISTS

Myers Bros. 1016 Green Avenue

GROCERS

Budde Bros. Masonic Temple 11th St

MILLINERY

Neal Millinery Co., 1411-13 Eleventh Ave.

THEATRES

The Strand, 1512 Eleventh Ave.
 The Mishler, 1206-12th Avenue

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C.G. Brenneman 1416 Eleventh Ave.
 Lippman's 11th Ave. & 13th Street
 Isidor Marcus 1105 Eleventh Ave.
 T. H. Walter 1323 Eleventh Ave.

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Central Trust Co. 1212 Eleventh Ave.
 Lincoln Deposit & Trust Co. 1110 12th Avenue.
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 Altoona Times
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ALTOONA BOOSTER ASSOCIATION

PLEASANTVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Feathers and three children Eva, Rayford and John Harvey are all ill with the Flu. Mr. D. Oscar Clark and children Cyril and Edith who had the Flu are able to be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burkett who were very ill last week with the Flu are both better again.

James Barefoots sale was largely attended despite the bad weather last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bender and from Claysburg spent Sunday with George B. Weyant.

Woodrow Miller of Pitcairn was paying his parents Mr. and Mrs.

Wilson Miller a visit.

Misses Ada and Rose McGregor Johnstown, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Miller were visiting Mr. Millers sister Mrs. Penrose Wright of Roaring Springs also Grover Imiers of Woodbury, Pa. part of last week. They returned home Sunday.

Mrs. George B. Weyant just received a telegram from her son Walter Weyant that he would be home on a furlough this week from an Aviation camp Millington Tenn.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Two Weeks

George Dewey Busick, and Rosie

May McKnight of Six Mile Run.

Howard Moore, of West St. Clair, and Blanche Allison, Johnstown.

Lester Blair Ott of Bedford Township and Ilgra Anna Hillegass of Robert Ross Hammer and Lillie Almira Berkheimer. East St. Clair township.

James Hopkins and Alice Williams Six Mile Run, Pa.

Irvin E. Herline and Nellie M. Crawford of Napier Township.

Leon T. Kirk and Olga B. Martin of Six Mile Run.

Paul A. Stayer. Woodbury and Ada Gephart of Loysburg, Pa.

Paul Willard Koontz of Colerain

and Hester Gladys Dibert, of Bedford township.

A Common Nuisance.

We cannot all own everything necessary for our work, but we need not become a common nuisance by being a common borrower.

Word Lancel in Bible.

The word lance is found in only one place in the Bible. I Kings, 17:23. The term is not the well-known blade used by surgeons, but appears to mean a javelin, or light spear.

Gave Thimble to England.

The man who introduced thimbles to England was John Lofting, a mechanic and metal worker of Holland, who settled in England in the latter part of the seventeenth century, and practiced their manufacture in various metals, with great success.

Right Foot Foremost.

The expression, to put your right foot foremost, meaning to make as favorable an impression as possible, is a survival of a Roman superstition that it was ill-luck to cross a threshold with the left foot foremost.

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